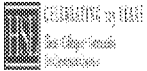


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Sent: 9/11/2017 11:51:00 PM
To: Ludmer, Margo [ludmer.margo@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Final Disposition, Request EPA-R2-2017-010067 [HSELAW-WORKSITE.FID715352]

Thanks Margo, I hadn't thought of tracking the response via FOIA Online. We will do that.

Tom



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Hi Tom,

Please check FOIA Online for the status of a particular FOIA request and for all released records. If you have any issues with the website, please contact our Government Information Specialist, Wanda Calderon (contact info in the August 30 email below). To obtain copies of EPA's direct communications with the FOIA requesters regarding the processing of their respective FOIA requests, we would ask that you submit a FOIA request through FOIA Online for these records.

Thank you,
Margo

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Hi Margo,

I'm wondering if the EPA has responded to the Bryan Cave FOIA request or the two Phillips Lytle FOIA requests that were included as part of the response to my EPA-R2-2017-010067 request. If so, I would like copies of the responses. Please let me know if I should submit another FOIA request to get that documentation. If you haven't responded to those FOIAs yet, then I will hold off for now.

Thanks you!
Tom

From: calderon.wanda@epa.gov [mailto:calderon.wanda@epa.gov]
Sent: Wednesday, August 30, 2017 9:12 AM
To: Tuori, Thomas
Subject: Final Disposition, Request EPA-R2-2017-010067

EPA-R2-2017-010067 has been processed with the following final disposition: Full grant.

This is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request submitted to the EPA Region 2 office on 08/01/2017. Your FOIA sought copies of records in connection with the radioactive slag/radioactive waste issues in Niagara Falls, NY. You identified specific records during a phone conversation on July 12, 2017 with Assistant Regional Counsel, Margo Ludmer. Enclosed you will find those records discussed.

You may appeal this response by email at hq.foia@epa.gov, or by mail to the National Freedom of Information Office, U.S. EPA, 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. (2822T), Washington, DC 20460 (U.S. Postal Service Only). Only items mailed through the United States Postal Service may be delivered to 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. If you are submitting your appeal via hand delivery, courier service, or overnight delivery, you must address your correspondence to 1301 Constitution Avenue, N.W., Room 6416J, Washington, DC 20001. Your appeal must be made in writing, and it must be received no later than 90 calendar days from the date of this letter. The Agency will not consider appeals received after the 90 calendar day limit. Appeals received after 5:00 pm EST will be considered received the next business day. The appeal letter should include the FOIA tracking number listed above. For quickest possible handling, the subject line of your email, the appeal letter, and its envelope, if applicable, should be marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Additionally, you may seek assistance from EPA's FOIA Public Liaison at hq.foia@epa.gov or (202)566-1667, or from the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). You may contact OGIS in any of the following ways: by mail, Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, Room 2510, 8610 Adelphi Road, College Park, MD 20740-6001; e-mail, ogis@nara.gov; telephone, 301-837-1996 or 1-877-684-6448; and facsimile, 301-837-0348.

If you have any questions or require additional assistance, please contact Wanda Calderon of my staff at 212-637-3668. This concludes EPA Region 2 response.

Respectfully,

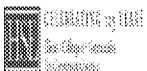
/s/

Mary Mears

Public Affairs Director

U.S. EPA Region 2 (NJ, NY, PR, the US VI and eight Indian Nations)

Records were released to the public as a result of this request. You may retrieve these records immediately using the following link: [View Records](#). Over the next 2 hours, these records are also being added to FOIAonline's search pages, further enabling you to retrieve these documents associated with your FOIA request at any time.



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